

Docket No. 2839-0072-0 PCT



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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Kazuo HATA, et al.

GAU: 1774

SERIAL NO: 09/445,423

EXAMINER: L. FERGUSON

FILED: December 10, 1999

FOR: CERAMIC SHEET AND METHOD OF PRODUCING CERAMIC SHEET

### REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

It is hereby requested that a one month extension of time be granted to May 9, 2002 for

filing a response to the Official Action dated: January 9, 2002

responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:

filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.

responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:

filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due has been filed.

filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

The required fee of \$110.00 is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made against the Attorney or Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

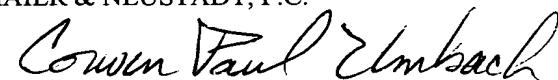
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